

Arizona Educator Exams

What Tests Do I Need To Take?

Elementary Certificate Exams (grades 1-8)

[Elementary Certificate Requirements.](#)

<u>Professional Knowledge: Elementary (NT051)</u>	Professional knowledge	Receive official results within six weeks
<u>Elementary Education Subtest I (NT102)</u>	Subject knowledge	Immediate preliminary results/Official results within two weeks
<u>Elementary Education Subtest II (NT103)</u>	Subject knowledge	Immediate preliminary results/Official results within two weeks

Secondary Certificate Exams (grades 6-12)

[Secondary Certificate Requirements](#)

A secondary (grades 6-12) exam is required as the initial subject knowledge exam for issuance of a secondary certificate.

<u>Professional Knowledge: Secondary (NT052)</u>	Professional knowledge	Receive official results within six weeks
<u>Art (NT503)</u>	Subject knowledge	Immediate preliminary results/Official results within two weeks
<u>Biology (NT305)</u>	Subject knowledge	Immediate preliminary results/Official results within two weeks
<u>Chemistry (NT306)</u>	Subject knowledge	Immediate preliminary results/Official results within two weeks
<u>Chinese (Mandarin) (NT404)</u>	Subject knowledge	Receive Official Results within Six Weeks
<u>Dance (AZ048)</u>	Subject knowledge	Receive immediate preliminary results and official results within four weeks
<u>Earth Science (AZ045) OR (NT307) also comparable</u>	Subject knowledge	Receive immediate preliminary results and official results within four weeks
<u>Economics (AZ035)</u>	Subject knowledge	Receive immediate preliminary results and official results within four weeks
<u>English Language Arts (NT301)</u>	Subject knowledge	Immediate preliminary results/Official results within two weeks
<u>French (NT402)</u>	Subject knowledge	Receive official results within six weeks
<u>General Science (NT311)</u>	Subject knowledge	Immediate preliminary results/Official results within two weeks
<u>Geography (AZ004)</u>	Subject knowledge	Receive immediate preliminary results and official results within four weeks
<u>German (NT403)</u>	Subject knowledge	Receive official results within six weeks
<u>Health (NT505)</u>	Subject knowledge	Immediate preliminary results/Official results within two weeks
<u>History (NT302)</u>	Subject knowledge	Immediate preliminary results/Official results within two weeks
<u>Mathematics (NT304)</u>	Subject knowledge	Immediate preliminary results/Official results within two weeks
<u>Music (NT504)</u>	Subject knowledge	Immediate preliminary results/Official results within two weeks
<u>Physical Education (NT506)</u>	Subject knowledge	Immediate preliminary results/Official results within two weeks
<u>Physics (NT308)</u>	Subject knowledge	Immediate preliminary results/Official results within two weeks
<u>Political Science/American Government (AZ006)</u>	Subject knowledge	Receive immediate preliminary results and official results within four weeks
<u>Spanish (NT401)</u>	Subject knowledge	Receive official results within six weeks
<u>Theater (AZ049) (For Dramatic Arts)</u>	Subject knowledge	Immediate preliminary results and official results within four weeks

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*Middle Grades Exams (grades 6-8)

*Middle grades exams are primarily added to elementary certificates. Secondary certificate holders must have a secondary approved area **prior** to adding a middle grades approved area to their certificate. Middle grades approved areas cannot be the first area added to a secondary certificate. Middle grades exams will not qualify as the initial subject knowledge exam for issuance of a secondary or elementary teaching certificate.

Middle Grades English Language Arts (NT201)	Subject knowledge	Immediate preliminary results/Official results within two weeks
Middle Grades General Science (NT204)	Subject knowledge	Immediate preliminary results/Official results within two weeks
Middle Grades Mathematics (NT203)	Subject knowledge	Immediate preliminary results/Official results within two weeks
Middle Grades Social Science (NT202)	Subject knowledge	Immediate preliminary results/Official results within two weeks

Early Childhood Certificate Exams (birth through age 8 or grade 3) [Early Childhood Certificate Requirements](#)

Professional Knowledge: Early Childhood (AZ093)	Professional knowledge	Receive official results within six weeks
Early Childhood (AZ036)	Subject knowledge	Receive immediate preliminary results and official results within four weeks

Early Childhood Special Education Certificate Exams (birth through age 8 or grade 3) [Early Childhood Special Education Certificate Requirements](#)

Professional Knowledge: Early Childhood (AZ093)	Professional knowledge	Receive official results within six weeks
Special Education: Early Childhood (AZ023)	Disability area	Immediate preliminary results and official results within four weeks

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*Special Education Certificate Exams

[Special Education Requirements](#)

*On and after January 1, 2016, no new applications will be accepted for the Specialized Special Education (ID, ED, LD, and O/HI) certificates. There may be rare situations where they are needed for testing deficiencies for reciprocal certificates.

Professional Knowledge: Elementary (NT051)	Professional knowledge	Receive official results within six weeks
Special Education(replaced cross-category) (NT601)	Disability area(s)	Immediate preliminary results/Official results within two weeks
Special Education: Hearing Impaired (AZ026) HI	Disability area(s)	Immediate preliminary results and official results within four weeks
Special Education: Severely & Profoundly Disabled (AZ030)	Disability area(s)	Immediate preliminary results and official results within four weeks
Special Education: Visually Impaired (AZ032)	Disability area(s)	Receive official results within six weeks

Administrative Certificates

[Administrative Certificate Requirements](#)

Principal Sub Test I (AZ181)	Subject knowledge	Receive official results within six weeks
Principal Sub Test II (AZ281)	Subject knowledge	Receive official results within six weeks
Superintendent (AZ080)	Subject knowledge	Receive official results within six weeks
Supervisor (AZ082)	Subject knowledge	Immediate preliminary results and official results within four weeks

Additional Exams

Constitutions of the United States and Arizona (AZ033)	Subject knowledge	Receive immediate preliminary results and official results within four weeks	May be taken to satisfy Arizona and United States Constitution requirement
Reading Endorsement K–8 (AZ046)	Subject knowledge	Receive official results within six weeks	Reading Endorsement Requirements
Reading Endorsement 6–12 (AZ047)	Subject knowledge	Receive official results within six weeks	Reading Endorsement Requirements
School Library Media Specialist (NT502)	Subject knowledge	Immediate preliminary results/Official results within two weeks	Library Media Specialist Endorsement Requirements

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